#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Green Ribbon Science Panel Meeting
September 13, 2018 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, PST, September 14, 2018, 8:30 am – 12:30 pm, PST
Location: Klamath Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Please join the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) as we convene a meeting of the Green Ribbon Science Panel (GRSP or Panel), September 13-14, 2018, in Sacramento, California. The public is invited to attend and address the Panel on agenda items.

## **BACKGROUND**

The GRSP was established by AB 1879 (Feuer, Chapter 559, Statutes of 2008) to act as a resource for the implementation of California's Green Chemistry Law. The GRSP provides scientific and technical advice to DTSC as we strive to build a meaningful, practical, and defensible Safer Consumer Products program. The GRSP's mandate is to "[a]ssist the department in developing green chemistry and chemicals policy recommendations and implementation strategies and details, and ensure these recommendations are based on a strong scientific foundation."

#### **MEETING PURPOSE**

This meeting provides a forum for the GRSP to discuss and advise DTSC on issues related to DTSC's evaluation of example alternatives assessments, its proposal to list carpets with PFAS as a Priority Product, challenges associated with decision-making in the Alternatives Analysis process, the stakeholder Green Chemistry Law policy evaluation, and DTSC's Preliminary Alternatives Analysis Template.

# **MEETING DETAILS**

The public is invited to attend in person and provide comments to the GRSP on agenda items under discussion by the panel. All other non-agenda related comments on the Safer Consumer Products program may be submitted directly to DTSC at <a href="mailto:SaferConsumerProducts@dtsc.ca.gov">SaferConsumerProducts@dtsc.ca.gov</a>. When available, meeting materials can be found at DTSC's <a href="mailto:GRSP Meetings">GRSP Meetings</a> web page. If you have any questions about the meeting or the agenda, please contact Anne-Cooper Doherty at <a href="mailto:anne.doherty@dtsc.ca.gov">anne.doherty@dtsc.ca.gov</a> or 916-324-1088.

## **Meeting Venue and Webinar Information**

CalEPA Headquarters travel and parking information: https://calepa.ca.gov/headquarters-sacramento/location/. A webcast of the meeting will be available here: https://video.calepa.ca.gov/.

### MORE INFORMATION ON THE GREEN RIBBON SCIENCE PANEL

You may also join our <u>Safer Consumer Products electronic mailing list</u> to receive future notices of public meetings.

# SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS OR LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE

Prospective participants requesting reasonable accommodation are asked to RSVP by September 6, 2018, to the Office of Civil Rights, Litiana Patino at (916) 324-3095 or by email to <a href="litiana.patino@dtsc.ca.gov">litiana.patino@dtsc.ca.gov</a>. Hearing-impaired individuals can obtain information by using the California State Relay Service at (888) 877-5378 (TDD).

# **WE VALUE YOUR INPUT**

We welcome and encourage your participation in this meeting. If you have questions, please contact SCP at SaferConsumerProducts@dtsc.ca.gov.